

Pagination

A sophisticated and flexible pagination component designed to handle large datasets with intelligent page number display, multiple visual variants, and comprehensive accessibility features. Perfect for data tables, search results, content lists, and any interface requiring efficient navigation through paginated content. Uses the ava-pagination-controls selector for integration.

How to use

Basic Usage

The most basic implementation with default settings and intelligent page number display.

```
import { AavaPaginationControlsComponent } from "@aava/play-core";
```

Basic Features

- Smart Ellipsis : Automatically shows ellipsis for large page counts
- Current Page Highlighting : Active page is visually distinguished
- Navigation Buttons : Previous/Next buttons with proper disabled states
- Responsive Design : Adapts to different screen sizes
- Intelligent Truncation : Shows relevant pages around current selection

Size Variants

Five size variants to accommodate different interface densities and visual hierarchy requirements.

```
&lt;aava-pagination-controls  
[type]="'basic'"  
[currentPage]="currentPage"  
[totalPages]="totalPages"  
[showNavigationButtons]="true"  
(pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"  
[rounded]="true"  
&gt;  
&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
```

Available Sizes

- XSmall - Very compact size for minimal interfaces (12px font)
- Small - Compact size for minimal content and dense interfaces (14px font)
- Medium - Standard size for most pagination scenarios (16px font, default)
- Large - Prominent size for important content (20px font)
- XLarge - Very prominent size for high-visibility interfaces (24px font)

Size Features

- Responsive Typography : Font sizes scale appropriately with size variants
- Consistent Spacing : Button sizes and gaps scale proportionally
- Touch Targets : All sizes maintain minimum 44px touch target requirements
- Visual Hierarchy : Larger sizes provide better emphasis for important pagination

Advanced Features

Icon-Only Navigation

The iconOnly property allows navigation buttons to display only icons without text labels, creating a cleaner, more compact design.

Clear Styling

The clear property (used internally by unfilled variants) provides transparent button backgrounds for modern, minimalist designs.

Rounded Styling

The rounded property applies pill-shaped styling to page number buttons for a softer, more modern appearance.

Page Info Variants

Text-based pagination variants that display current page information instead of page numbers.

```
currentPage = 1;
totalPages = 20;

onPageChange(page: number): void {
  this.currentPage = page;
}
```

Page Info Features

- Text Display : Shows "Page X of Y" format
- Compact Design : Minimal space requirements
- Clear Navigation : Previous/Next buttons for sequential navigation
- Accessibility : Screen reader friendly with descriptive text
- Two Layouts : Full-width and centered variants available

Accessibility

Built-in accessibility features ensuring WCAG compliance and inclusive user experience.

```
&lt;aava-pagination-controls
  [type]="'basic'"
  [currentPage]="basicPage"
  [totalPages]="10"
  [size]="'xl'"
  (pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"
&gt;&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
&lt;aava-pagination-controls
  [type]="'basic'"
  [currentPage]="basicPage"
  [totalPages]="10"
  [size]="'lg'"
  (pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"
&gt;&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
&lt;aava-pagination-controls
  [type]="'basic'"
  [currentPage]="basicPage"
  [totalPages]="10"
  [size]="'md'"
  (pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"
&gt;&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
&lt;aava-pagination-controls
  [type]="'basic'"
  [currentPage]="basicPage"
  [totalPages]="10"
  [size]="'sm'"
  (pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"
&gt;&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
&lt;aava-pagination-controls
  [type]="'basic'"
  [currentPage]="basicPage"
  [totalPages]="10"
  [size]="'xs'"
  (pageChange)="onPageChange($event)"
&gt;&lt;/aava-pagination-controls&gt;
```

Accessibility Features

- Keyboard Navigation : Full Tab, Arrow key, Enter, and Space support
- ARIA Labels : Proper labels for navigation buttons and page numbers
- Screen Reader Support : Descriptive announcements for page changes
- Focus Management : Clear visual focus indicators
- High Contrast : Enhanced visibility in high contrast mode
- Reduced Motion : Respects user motion preferences

API Reference

Inputs

Property	Type	Default	Description
currentPage	number	1	Current active page number
totalPages	number	10	Total number of pages available
type	'basic' 'unfilled' 'basicunfilled' 'pageinfo' 'pageinfilled'	'basic'	Visual variant of the pagination component
showNavigationButtons	boolean	true	Whether to show Previous/Next navigation buttons
rounded	boolean	false	Whether to apply rounded styling to page number buttons
iconOnly	boolean	false	Whether to show only icons without text labels on navigation buttons
size	'xs' 'sm' 'md' 'lg' 'xl'	'md'	Size variant of the pagination component

Property	Type	Default	Description
customStyles	Record<string, string>	{}	Custom CSS styles to apply to the pagination container

Outputs

Event	Type	Description
pageChange	EventEmitter<number>	Emitted when user navigates to a different page

Methods

Method	Parameters	Return Type	Description
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nextPage() - void	Navigate to the next page		
prevPage() - void	Navigate to the previous page		
getFontSize() - string	Get font size based on current size prop		
trackByPage(index, page)	index: number, page: number \ string	string	TrackBy function for ngFor optimization

Computed Properties

Property	Type	Description
pages	(number string)[]	Array of page numbers and ellipsis to display
size	'xs' 'sm' 'md' 'lg' 'xl'	Current size variant of the component

CSS Custom Properties

Property	Default	Description

```
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| --pagination-item-text | Dynamic | Text color for page numbers |
| --pagination-item-disabled-text | Dynamic | Text color for disabled elements |
||
| --pagination-container-gap | Dynamic | Gap between pagination elements |
| --pagination-page-label-color | Dynamic | Color for page label text |
| --pagination-page-label-font-family | Dynamic | Font family for page labels |
| --pagination-page-label-font-weight | Dynamic | Font weight for page labels |
| --pagination-page-label-line-height | Dynamic | Line height for page labels |
| --pagination-page-label-gap | Dynamic | Gap between page label elements |
```

Accessibility Guidelines

Keyboard Navigation

- Tab : Navigate to pagination and move between interactive elements
- Arrow Left/Right : Navigate between page numbers (when focused)
- Enter : Activate focused page number or navigation button
- Space : Activate focused page number or navigation button
- Home : Jump to first page (when supported)
- End : Jump to last page (when supported)

Screen Reader Support

- Use descriptive labels that clearly indicate pagination purpose
- Provide context about total number of pages and current position
- Announce page changes and navigation actions
- Include current page information in accessible descriptions
- Use appropriate heading levels for pagination sections

Visual Design

- Maintain sufficient color contrast (4.5:1 minimum) for all states
- Provide clear focus indicators on interactive elements
- Ensure page number buttons meet minimum touch target size (44px)
- Use consistent visual hierarchy across all variants
- Support high contrast and reduced motion preferences

Best Practices

Design Guidelines

- Appropriate Variant Selection : Choose variants based on dataset size and user needs
- Consistent Spacing : Maintain uniform spacing between pagination elements
- Clear Visual Hierarchy : Use proper contrast and sizing for current page indication
- Responsive Design : Ensure pagination works well on all screen sizes
- Loading States : Consider loading indicators during page transitions

Performance

- Efficient Rendering : Use OnPush change detection for optimal performance
- Event Handling : Debounce rapid page changes if triggered programmatically
- Memory Management : Clean up event listeners and subscriptions
- Bundle Optimization : Import only needed variants to minimize bundle size
- Virtual Scrolling : Consider virtual scrolling for very large datasets

User Experience

- Intuitive Navigation : Make it easy to jump to first/last pages
- Page Size Options : Consider adding page size selection for data tables
- Breadcrumb Integration : Use pagination with breadcrumbs for complex navigation
- Search Integration : Combine pagination with search functionality
- URL State : Sync pagination state with URL parameters for bookmarking

Implementation Considerations

- State Management : Properly manage pagination state in your application
- Data Fetching : Implement efficient data loading for each page
- Error Handling : Handle edge cases like invalid page numbers
- Caching : Cache previously visited pages for better performance
- Analytics : Track pagination usage for user behavior insights

Accessibility Implementation

- Semantic HTML : Use proper HTML structure for pagination elements
- ARIA Attributes : Implement appropriate ARIA labels and roles
- Focus Management : Ensure logical tab order and focus indicators
- Screen Reader Testing : Test with actual screen readers
- Keyboard Testing : Verify complete keyboard navigation flow

Technical Notes

Component Architecture

The pagination component uses a modern Angular architecture with:

- PaginationControlsComponent - Main component with multiple variants
- ButtonComponent integration for consistent button styling
- OnPush change detection for optimal performance
- ViewEncapsulation.None for global CSS variable access

MUI-Style Pagination Logic

The component implements Material-UI style pagination with intelligent page number display:

- Smart Ellipsis : Automatically shows ellipsis for large page counts
- Context-Aware Display : Shows relevant pages around current selection
- Optimal Truncation : Balances information density with usability
- Responsive Behavior : Adapts to different total page counts

Size System

The component provides a comprehensive size system:

- Font Scaling : Each size maps to specific pixel values (12px to 24px)
- Button Scaling : Button dimensions scale proportionally with font size
- Touch Targets : All sizes maintain minimum 44px touch target requirements
- CSS Variables : Uses semantic CSS variables for consistent theming

Variant System

The component supports multiple visual variants:

- Basic Variants : Traditional pagination with filled styling
- Unfilled Variants : Modern design with transparent backgrounds
- Page Info Variants : Text-based alternatives to page numbers
- Icon-Only Options : Clean navigation without text labels